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Colin OLOMAN) FOR: ELECTROLYTIC GENERATION
Serial No.: 09/924,404) OF NITROGEN
Filed: August 7, 2001) Group
) Art Unit: 1742

AMENDMENT

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Examiner

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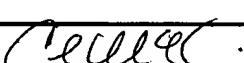
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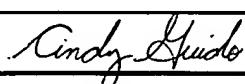
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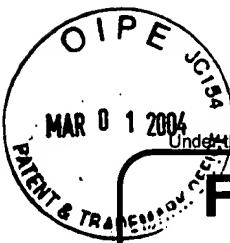
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Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27

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